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GERMAN ATTACKS ARE REPULSED

Fifty Thousand Men Driven Back at Liege, Belgium.

AN ARTILLERY DUEL

Believed that Kaiser's March Has Been Rendered Ineffective—Heavy Losses on Both Sides.

Liege, bearing the brunt of a determined assault on the Belgian frontier, is ablaze from German shells.

The first assault by 50,000 men was repulsed with heavy casualties.

Determined assaults of German forces on the French frontier have been repulsed.

Fifty thousand men attempted to capture Liege, Belgium, and were driven back with heavy losses. Another column is marching on Namur.

In Holland the Dutch army is falling back before the German advance.

A heavy artillery duel is being maintained near Toul and Epinal, where 100,000 Germans are seeking a gap between the French defense.

Hospitals at Nancy are filled with wounded

At Petit Croix a second asault of Germans, to isolate Belfort, has been repulsed

Heavy casualties are reported from several battlefields

Brussels, August 5—The Belgian forces have checked the German defense with very heavy losses on both sides

The German army, having Cologne as its base, crossed the Belgian frontier at Gemmenich. Divided into two columns, it advanced against Liege and Namur.

The heaviest fighting was in the attack on Liege, where a German force of 50,000 was engaged by Belgians of half that number. The Germans attempted to carry the entrenchments beyond Liege by storm, but were repulsed by a withering artillery fire and the advance column fell back in confusion, leaving many dead and wounded.

The Belgians had mounted machine guns along the railway line commanding the right of way and the military road that paralleled it and the Germans were unable to carry the position by storm.

After falling back, the Germans hurriedly entrenched and mounted artillery with which they are now bombarding Liege from a half circular position extending for eight miles.

The towns of Vise and Argemen have been burned by the Germans and scores of Belgians slain.

The war office is confident that Liege can hold out against the German attack indefinitely and that the German movement through Belgium has now been rendered ineffective.

Amsterdam, Holland, August 5.—Germany has invaded neutral Holland in an attempt to rush troops across to aid in the invasion of Belgium.

Fierce fighting is in progress, the Dutch troops falling back slowly before a steady German advance.

The losses on both sides are heavy.

Paris, August 5.—The German army is advancing through the gap between Toul and Epinal.

Constant fighting has been in progress all along the frontier for the last twelve hours. Both sides have lost heavily and the French wounded are arriving at Nancy, the mobilization headquarters for that district.

It is stated that the German army numbers more than 100,000 men and comprise all classes of troops. The fighting to date has been mostly an artillery duel.

The Germans are entrenching as they advance.

Washington, August 5.—Incensed by reports reaching St. Petersburg that a German mob had destroyed the Russian embassy at Berlin, a mob attacked and destroyed the German embassy at St. Petersburg, according to State Department dispatches today.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

No Americans can leave Germany for the present. Through the German Embassy at Newport, the State Department has been informed that during the progress of mobilization no foreigners will be permitted to depart. The German order applies alike to men, women and children, although its purpose is to prevent the flight from Germany of men eligible for military service under pretext of citizenship. The inclusion of women and children in the decree is explained by the apprehension that valuable military information regarding the process of mobilization and especially the points of concentration of the German army forces might be conveyed to the enemy by women.

President Wilson has issued a proclamation of neutrality setting forth the position assumed by the United States toward the European countries engaged in war.

The Japanese foreign office has issued a statement that if the war extends to the Far East and England is involved in it Japan may find it necessary to participate in fulfillment of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

The British admiralty officially announces that the government has taken over the two battleships—one completed—ordered in England by Turkey and two destroyers ordered by Chile. The battleships have been renamed the Erin and Agincourt.

Lord Winterton arrived in London yesterday from Germany. He brought news of the attempted assassination of the crown prince. On reaching the German frontier, he said, an official told the passengers on board the train that an attempt had been made on the life of the crown prince, and read a telegram authorizing a search for those implicated in the affair. Prince Albert, second son of the king and queen, a midshipman in the navy, is at sea with the fleet.

The steamship Vaterland, carrying from 8,000 to 10,000 of the German Reserves here, will defy the warships of England, France and Russia in a desperate dash across the Atlantic for the safety of a home port. Off Sandy Hook and outside the three-mile limit she will be met by the swift German cruisers, the Dresden, the Stuttgart and the Karlsruhe. Each of these cruisers is supplied with an extra equipment of rapid fire and machine guns, torpedo tubes and small arms. These will be transferred to the Vaterland, the largest steamer in the world and one of the fastest.

ALL EUROPE AT WAR.

Break Between England and Germany Causes Grave Conditions.

Declarations of war against each other by Germany and England, have brought the war to a point at which practically all of Europe is now involved.

Diplomatic relations between Germany and France have been broken off and a state of war between the two countries declared.

A bill appropriating $1,250,000,000 for war expenses was introduced in the German Parliament.

The Belgian Chamber of Deputies has voted $40,000,000 for national defense.

Invasion of Belgium by German troops is reported.

Fighting continues along the Franco-German frontier.

Gen. Joseph Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French Army, has gone to the German frontier.

Bombs were dropped upon the French fortified town of Luneville by a German Army aeroplane.

All railroads in Great Britain have been taken under government control.

The capture by a French fleet of two German cruisers ,the Goeben and the Breslau, is reported from Algiers.

President Wilson asked Congress to appropriate $2,500,000 for the general accommodation of Americans in Europe.

A German detachment entered the French village of Morneville. A parish priest was killed.

Turkey has declared neutrality, but is mobilizing her forces.

Two German steamers were seized at Bordeauy, France.

FRENCH WIN THE FIRST SEA BATTLE

German Dreadnought and Cruisers Sunk in Mediterranean.

REJOICING IN PARIS

Naval Fight Believed to Be in Progress in North Sea—Russian Fleet Bottled Up in Black Sea.

Toulon, France, August 5.—France has won the first important sea battle. Trapped by French and British squadrons in the Mediterranean, the German squadron, comprising the scout cruiser Pantner, the dreadnought Goeben, and the cruiser Breslau, fought vainly to escape. The Panther was sunk and the other two war craft were captured.

After bombarding the French fortified towns along the Algerian coast, the Germans steamed toward Gibraltar. A British fleet, which had put out from Malta, headed them off and they doubled back toward Algeria. The French battle squadron, which had been sent to protect Algeria, intercepted them and the battle followed.

The Panther, a small cruiser with minor armament, was riddled by the French fire and a shell exploded in her magazine practically blowing her to pieces, with the loss of most of her crew.

The Goeben fought for some time, but her machinery was finally disabled and she struck her flag.

The Breslau attempted to escape, but was overhauled by two French cruisers and after a short and sharp engagement also surrendered.

The German casualities are reported heavy, but details of the French losses are withheld.

Paris, August 5.—Announcement of the victory of the French fleet over the Germans in the Mediterranean was made this afternoon. It was the signal for an outburst of wild enthusiasm and for riotous demonstration throughout the city.

London, August 5.—A naval battle between German and British warships is reported in the North Sea off Hull.

Advices from that coast city say that firing has been heard since daybreak.

It is believed that the battle between British and German scoutships, as the main column of the German war fleet is still reported as being close to the German naval base at the mouth of the Elbe.

London, August 5.—The Mayor of Margate has reported to the authorities here that tremendous be heard from the direction of the North Sea. It is believed that German and British warships are engaged..

Constantinople, August 5.—The Russian Black Sea fleet is bottled up and will be unable to participate in the war. The Turkish government issued an official declaration today announcing that the Bosphorus has been closed to the warships of all nations, and that any attempt to force a passage will be repulsed. Russia will be the only nation to suffer, as her Black Sea fleet is thus rendered inoperative.

Portland, Me., August 5.—What is believed to be canon firing has been heard off the coast today. It came from the direction of Seguin Island. There is a belief here that German and British ships may possibly have been engaged.

Mrs. G. O. Tavener who has been visiting relatives in this city, has turned to her home in Hamilton, Va.

Germans are massing on Denmark's frontier. Violations of neutrality are expected at any moment.

Hard, Soft and Deviled Crabs at Rammel's Cafe.

APPEAL FOR ITALY'S AID.

Germany Makes It, but Rome Will Not Alter its Neutral Attitude.

Rome, August 5.—Germany has made an appeal to Italy to stand with her, according to Giornale D'Italia. The newspaper says the attention of the Italian Government has been called to what Germany describes as hostile acts on the part of France, which, the German Government asserts, constitute a case coming within the terms of the treaty of alliance, even though on account of these acts the declaration of war came from Germany. The Giornale D'Italia says it understands the Italian Government will not change its attitude of neutrality.

Berne, Switzerland, August 5.—The military mobilization of Switzerland has been completed. Every able-bodied man has responded to colors and every railway bridge and mountain pass is occupied. The precautions have extended to the commandeering of all available provisions and all means of locomotion, even bicycles have been requistioned.

London, August 5.—Turkey has informed Great Britain that the forces of the Ottoman Empire are being mobilized. The mobilization, she says, is a precautionary measure and Turkey will remain absolutely neutral.

Madrid, Spain, August 5.—The Spanish Government is preparing a proclamation announcing its neutrality.

STRANDED AMERICANS.

Twenty-five Thousand Far From Home And Destitute.

London, August 5.—Panic among the 25,000 Americans here increased yesterday when England was plunged into the general European war. Practically all trans-Atlantic traffic is suspended.

The condition of many of the Americans here is pitiful. Without funds and without friends, they have had to depend upon United States Ambassador Walter H. Page to help all the needy ones, but the requests are flooding him. Each must take its turn, and those who have held off making an application may not be able to get relief for another twenty-four hours.

Some of the Americans here have not had food for nearly twenty-four hours. Last night many of them did not have the price of lodging, and were compelled to sit up all night on chairs in hotel lobbies, railroad stations and the city parks.

Prominent Americans here are herding together all their stranded fellow men, and the committee appointed to care for those most in need has distributed sufficient funds to carry the penniless through for another day or two.

"Travel on the Channel boats is nothing short of hell," declared State Senator Hawes, of Pennsylvania, who was one of the last arrivals from Paris. "Women and children are packed in like cattle. The boats are overloaded, and those who travel on them must go without food and quite often without water during the entire trip.

Victim of Brother-in-Law.

Winchester, Va., August 5.—Maud Drummond, a very pretty girl of 13 years member of a well-known and substantial family of near Strasburg, Shenandoah county, Va., lies in a precarious condition in the Strasburg Hospital as the result of having been criminally assaulted on Sunday morning by her brother-in-law, Harry Robinson, according to messages received from Strasburg.

The girl's condition it was stated, is very serious. She is suffering principally from a severe nervous shock, and although it is expected she will ultimately recover, it will be some time before she will be able to leave the hospital. She weighs sixty-seven pounds.

FINE WATERMELONS.

I have just received 2,500 choice watermelons by the schooner East Lynne, from the lower river. They are now on sale at the dock between King and Prince streets.

C. H. McKENNEY.

MRS. HALL'S FIGHT FOR HER LIFE

Witness for the Defense Strikes Hard Blow and Hurts Cause.

ORDEAL FOR ACCUSED

Suspected Woman Has Lost Her Serenity and Shows Signs of Great Anxiety During Day.

Louisa, Va., August 5.—Every effort of the defense was yesterday exerted to prove that the bullet which killed Victor Hall at Green Spring on April 15th was not fired from Victor Hall's pistol, and was, therefore, not fired by Mrs. Victor Hall, who is being tried for the murder of her husband.

The bullet extracted from the murdered man's brain weighs 128 grains. Bullets found in Victor's pistol weighed 150 grains each.

The Commonwealth claims that some of the lead was probably scraped from the bullet which killed Victor Hall when it bored through the man's skull, the skull bones being harder than lead.

T. A. Campbell, of Fluvanna, the first witness, was put forward by the defense as an expert on firearms. He produced a handbook compiled by a cartridge company, showing the weights of pistol bullets, the company issuing the book not being the one that made the cartridges found in Victor Hall's pistol.

Attorney Fulton objected to the introduction of the book, because it is not a standard work, because it does not give the weights of the make of cartridges found in Victor's gun, and because he could not cross-examine the man who wrote it.

The court ruled that the book could be introduced as collateral evidence, and in order that witness might testify as to certain tests recently made by him.

Juryman Riddell asked the witness if a bullet would lose any lead in penetrating a hard substance. Witness replied that some of the lead might be shaved off, he could not say how much.

Dr. Harry Porter was put on the stand and said that the bullet made a hole in Victor's skull, which, in his judgment, could not have been made if the pistol had been fired at very close range.

While most of the defense's testimony was of a nature to aid Mrs. Hall in her fight for liberty, it is equally true that it afforded much capital to the Commonwealth. In several instances the witnesses for the defense played into the hands of Commonwealth's Attorney Bibb and Attorney M. J. Fulton, who is assisting him, and the prisoner at the bar began to show signs of anxiety that were unmistakable. Once during the testimony of Mrs. N. W. Hall, her mother-in-law, the accused woman bowed her head in her arms and wiped her eyes, as if in an effort to keep back the tears. The recital, and the aged woman excited the sympathy of both court and spectators. R. Lindsay Gordon, of the defense, examined her with all gentleness and the attorneys for the Commonwealth were no less restrained in their methods of cross-examination. Tears rolled down her cheeks as she told of the wound which Victor suffered, and she wept again as she testified that her daughter-in-law had been a good and true wife to her son.

It was Miss Jennie Roberts who, in an apparently determined effort to testify in favor of the accused, delivered a staggering blow to the defense. Under sharp cross-examination, she was made to admit that she had had a telephone conversation with Mrs. Hall shortly after the murder, and that Mrs. Hall informed her that she was suspected of the murder, suspected of doing away with Victor Hall, in order that she might have the witness's brother, W. J. Roberts.

Magistrate James E. Hester, who acted as coroner at the inquest over Victor Hall's body, was subjected to a gruelling cross-examination, from which he emerged with white face. Mr. Bibb asked him pointedly if he had not been paying attention to Mrs. Hall's elder daughter, Essie Dunkum, and he replied, "Not so as you could notice it." He did admit, however, that he had talked with her several times since the murder, though he could not be made to say how many times, or that he was actually paying court to her.

Mrs. Charles E. Hester, wife of one of the men who served on the coroner's jury, attempted to evade answering Mr. Fulton's question as to the versiono Mrs. Hall had given her of the murder. She was forced to answer, however, and said that she could not remember whether Mrs. Hall had told her that she awakened the negro servant girl first or first went to the side of her wounded husband. Mrs. Hall has said that she awakened the servant girl first, and the latter testified in court that Mrs. Hall told her that her husband had been shot in the back of the head.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

LIMOL POWDER destroys offensive odors.

The alarm of fire shortly before ten o'clock last night was caused by the burning of some trash near the wharf at the foot of Prince street.

Tom Johnson, a Washington boy, charged with stealing a bicycle from Washington, which he tried to sell in Alexandria yesterday, has been turned over to the authorities of the District.

The property of the Mount Vernon stables, consisting of a large three-story brick building on St. Asaph street, will be sold at public auction on August 22nd by Howard W. Smith and Charles B. Marshall, commissioners.

The remains of Malcolm N. Collis, who died at the Alexandria Hospital Monday, were taken to the residence of his parents, near Linconia, Va., yesterday and the funeral took place this morning.

The Allison W. C. T. U. will hold a special meeting tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Children's Home. Important business is to be transacted and all members are urged to be present.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine G. Pinkney will be held Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from Shiloh Baptist Church.

Injured by His Auto.

Suffolk, Va., August 5.—J. David Luke was the victim of a peculiar accident at noon yesterday. While cranking his machine at his home on Main street, by mistake having left the car in gear, it ran him down, breaking both legs and inflicting other serious injuries.

LUSITANIA DEPARTS.

German And British Cruisers Said to be Hovering on Coast.

New York, August 5.—Despite the announcement of war between England and Germany, the Cunard liner Lusitania slipped away from her pier at midnight last night and started across the ocean. She carried about 125 passengers, who either wanted to return to their homes in England, or were ready to undertake the voyage in the face of European war. The Lusitania also carried mails and a little express.

The sailing of the fast liner was undoubtedly at the bidding of the English government, which subsidized the owning company and which will need the vessel as a transport in sending troops to the Continent. It is a risk not so much to the passengers as to the government and the steamship company, because the assumption is that German cruisers will attempt to capture the vessel.

There were rumors that three German cruisers were off the Hook and that along the coast were two English cruisers and two French cruisers. Such rumors may be founded on the fact that these warships are really in Atlantic waters, but it is quite likely that the English government would not have ordered the sailing of the vessel at this time without taking some measures to protect the vessel. It is expected that the British cruisers will act as a convoy.

STATE LAWYERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

Virginia Bar Association Gathered at Hot Springs Yesterday.

PAPERS OF INTEREST

Major Samuel Griffin Delivers President's Address, Urging Action in Legislative Matters.

Hot Springs, Va., August 5.—The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Virginia State Bar Association began its sessions here yesterday. Lawyers from all sections of the State are in attendance. After the opening prayer by Dr. Davidson, of Hot Springs, George Bryan, of Richmond, chairman of the Executive Committee, presented the president of the association, Major Samuel Griffin, of Bedford City, who delivered the address. Major Griffin said that he would take as his subject what the association had done, and what it could do. He spoke of the formation of the association at Virginia Beach in 1888, called attention to the fact that the address of the second president mentioned the defeat in the Legislature of bills recommended by the association, and said that the same fate had overtaken bills afterwards recommended by the body.

He urged that the full influence of the body be put behind measures recommended by it, particularly in the matter of reform of the system of legal procedure. He showed that England, where every innovation is at first looked upon as deterioration, is now far ahead of this country in the matter of the simplification of court pleading and in the enactment of legislation.

The report of John B. Minor, of Richmond, secretary-treasurer, showed the association to be in a flourishing condition.

Colonel E. E. Stickley, of Woodstock, chairman of the Committee on Admissions, reported the election by that committee of twenty-six new members, whose election was confirmed by the association.

Notice of a proposed amendment to the constitution was given whereby the Executive Committee will be given power to fix the time for holding the annual meeting of the association either during the first week in August or at such other time as may be considered more suitable.

At the evening session Loomis C. Williams, of Richmond, read a paper entitled: "Employer's Liability and Workmen's Compensation Law." Mr. Williams showed that the present system is unsatisfactory to employer and employe, unprobitable to the insurance companies and results in about one-fifth of the time of the courts of the country. Germany was the first country to adopt a workmen's compensation law, and such a system is now in force in forty-one foreign countries. The speaker in a very interesting manner, discussed the various compensation laws of the State that have so far adopted them.

On motion of E. Hilton Jackson, the president was directed to appoint a committee of five to assist in extending a welcome to members of the American Bar Association on the occasion of the excursion given them by the District of Columbia Bar Association on October 21.

On motion of Secretary Minor, a resolution was adopted requesting each member of the association to bring to the attention of the legislative committee on revision of the Code such statutes as in his judgment should be repealed or amended by a draft of the proposed amending act.

After the report of the committee on morals, the association adjourned until today.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Charles D. Bithell, of Washington, D. C., and Fjord B. King, of Alexandria.

Miss Mary Washington has returned to her home 119 south St. Asaph street, after visiting with her uncle at Hempstead, Long Island, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hinken, accompanied by Mrs. William Desmond and Miss Catherine Henderson left this morning on a camping trip to be gone the month of August.

Dr. W. A. Warfield and C .E. Jones are in Orange attending the horse show as the guests of Joel M. Cochran, president of the show.

Mrs. Elmore Mudd and sons of north Washington street have gone for a two weeks' trip to Fredericksburg.

Arthur Herbert, Jr., of Burke and Herbert, bankers ,is spending his vacation at the Baltimore Inn, Cape May, N. J.

Mrs. E. R. Hamilton, of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William G. LeHew, in King street.

Miss Martha Hancock has returned from a trip to Richmond and Fredericksburg.

Miss Elena Davis is visiting her cousin, Mrs. G. O. Tavener, at Hamilton, Va.

Mr. Henry C. Carson, who was taken to the Alexandria Hospital last week when seriously indisposed, is able to be out again.

Militia Engineers Off.

Philadelphia, Aug. 5.—Company B, Engineers, National Guard of Pennsylvania, left yesterday afternoon for their annual maneuvers, which this year will be held on the Potomac river, below Washington, with Company B, of Scranton, and several other State militia organizations and companies of the engineer corps of the regular army. The members met at the armory, at No. 2025 Sansom street, under the command of Captain J. H. M. Andrews, and marched in a body to Broad street station, where a train was boarded shortly after 1 o'clock. The camp will be made at Accontink Station, Virginia, which is about 18 miles south of Washington.

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FIGHT FOR PROHIBITION

Mrs. Mary Harris Armour Delivers Address in Young People's Building.

The prohibition campaign in Alexandria commenced in earnest last night when the first meeting of a series to be held in the interest of Statewide prohibition to be settled by the voters of the State on September 22nd, was held. Mrs. Mary Harris Armor, the "Georgia Cyclone," delivered an address at the Young People's Building, in which she predicted that the State would go dry by an overwhelming majority.

The hall was packed to its capacity, the audience being largely made up of women. The Rev. D. H. Kern, D. D., presiding elder of the Alexandria District of the Southern Methodist Church, presided and on the platform were the Rev. J. W. Duffey, of the Washington Street Church; the Rev. C. R. Strausburg, of the Methodist Protestant Church, the Rev. O. W. Triplett, of the Second Baptist Church, and the Rev. G. A. Luttrell, of the Trinity Methodist Church. The Rev. D. H. Kern, opened the meeting with prayer. A chorus of 50 boys and girls, under the direction of Miss Blanche Rotchford, sang a number of temperance and patriotic songs. The children wore white suits and blue and red caps. Across their breasts were sashes of the national colors and a pennant bearing the declaration: "The Liquor Traffic Must Go."

Mrs. Armor was introduced by Mrs. Amy C. Weech, of this city, national field secretary of the W .C. T. U. In opening her remarks Mrs. Armor spoke of the conditions in Europe, but declared that even a greater war was going on in Virginia, a war between the liquor forces on one side and the women and children of the State on the other, more important, she declared, than a fight in which men's bodies were involved, because, she said, that the fight here was for men's souls. Mrs. Armor kept the audience in an uproar of laughter by her rapid-fire arraignment of the liquor traffic and her anecdotes. At times she was pathetic when relating the horrors of the liquor traffic.

At the conclusion of her remarks resolutions were adopted approving Statewide prohibition and advocated national prohibition as the next step in the campaign for the elimination of the liquor traffic.

Announcement was made by Mrs. Weech that a meeting would be held this afternoon in the Young People's Building, at which time definite plans for the future conduct of the campaigns in this city will be considered. The Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, announced that he would deliver a sermon next Sunday night on the subject of Statewide prohibition.

FIREMEN TO MEET.

A meeting of representatives of the three fire companies of Alexandria will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the Columbia Engine Co. for the purpose of making arrangements for the trip of the Alexandria firemen to the meeting of the State Convention of the Virginia Firemen's Association, which will be held in Portsmouth on August 26th and 27th.

EXCURSION TOMORROW.

A pleasant ride down the beautiful Potomac will be afforded those who take the trip with the Holy Name Band to Colonial Beach tomorrow. A special program of music will be rendered by the band for the pleasure of its patrons. Every one is invited to go with the boys and help make the excursion a success.

The steamer will leave Cameron street wharf at 9.30 a. m. returning about 10.30 p. m. which will afford together with the days' outing a moonlight trip up the river.

Tickets can be had from members of the band at regular Colonial Beach prices.

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Thomas Padgett, Charged With Assaulting Horace A. Heflin, to be Arraigned.

The case of Thomas Padgett, who on Saturday evening, July 25, assaulted Horace A. Heflin, with a knife in a saloon on upper King street, will come up in the Police Court tomorrow morning. Padgett will be represented by John M. Johnson.

Heflin, it will be remembered, received serious cuts on the back and was taken to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment where a number of stitches were taken in the wounds. The injured man has been unable to appear in court.

Heflin has now sufficiently recovered to be able to appear in court.

Seven or eight witnesses of the attack have been summoned to appear.

CORPORATION COURT NOTES.

In the case of Emma E. Schilling Nauman vs. John Nauman, F. P. Russell was appointed guardian ad litem for defendant.

In the case of Cecelia Hill, guardian, vs. John T. Hill et al., the report of Special Commissioner Duffey was confirmed, and Cecelia Hill appointed special commissioner to sell two lots on south Lee street and a house and lot on the west side of Royal street, between Cameron and Queen.

MOTORBOAT'S LONG VOYAGE.

Phirenger Arrives at This Port Yesterday From Florida.

The motorboat Phirenger, hailing from Menominee, Mich. reached Alexandria yesterday from Florida, the craft having left on the 13th of June. She encountered two severe storms on her way up the coast.

The Phirenger is 56 feet long with a 12-foot beam. She is luxuriously equipped, being provided with every convenience for housekeeping. She was built on Lake Erie and is owned by J. S. Kinney, who is now aboard. The Phirenger passed through the Erie Canal into the Hudson river and made the outside trip to Florida. She is on her way to Washington. She will return to Lake Erie shortly.

The boat has a copper bottom and cost $11,000.

PANAMA CANAL IS SAFE.

Fears Neutrality Will Be Violated Scouted in Administration Circles.

Washington, August 5.—Apprehension in some quarters that the Panama Canal is going to be the means of involving this country in difficulty because of the present European war, are not taken with much seriousness by leading officials here.

It is recognized by Secretary Garrison and everyone concerned that the maintenance of the strict neutrality of the canal might become a difficult question under some circumstances. But the indications, in the opinion of men most competent to judge, are that there will be no difficulty about it during the present European war.

LIPTON DECLARES RACE OFF.

London, August 5.—Sir Thomas Lipton today formally announced the withdrawal of the Shamrock IV. from the international yacht races. The challenger is now at the Azores, having gone that far in her trip to America.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Proffers Good Offices to European Belligerents.

Washington August 5.—President Wilson today offered his good offices to mediate in the European war situation.

He sent the following mesasge to the Emperor of Germany, Czar of Russia, the Emperor of Austria-Hungary, the President of France, and the King of England.

"As official head of one of the powers signatory to The Hague convention, I feel it to be my privilege and my duty, under article 3 of that convention, to say to you in a spirit of most earnest friendship that I should welcome an opprutnity to act in the interest of European peace, either now or at any time that might be thought more suitable, as an occasion to serve you and all concerned in a way that would afford me lasting cause for gratitude and happiness.

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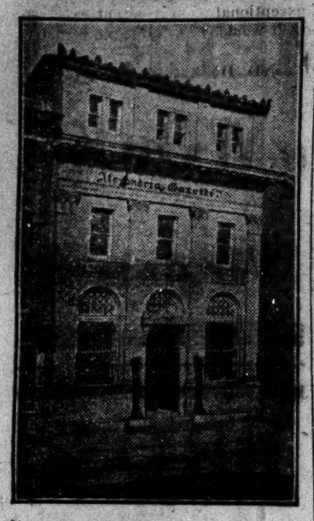

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SHIFTING THE RESPONSIBILITY.

It is generally admitted that the present condition of the civilized world is the most alarming of any in the history of the planet. Europe is now aflame. The Russian bear is on the war path, the German eagle is making swoops and the British lion, so long moving cautiously through the international jungle, smells blood and is aroused. A fight to the finish has at last been precipitated, and all the horrors of war are being flashed in every direction. Food prices in Europe are soaring, and in some cities of England the supply has been exhausted, stores having been closed while hungry and excited people were clamoring for the necessities of life.

These things, the good Book tells us, are but the beginning of sorrows, and should the clash of war be continued until the snow begins to fly, the horrors which will necessarily accompany a general conflict can only be imagined.

For many years the civilized world has at times been reading of famines and pestilences in far-away China, India and other places, but now such grim conditions are to be brought to the doors of the most civilized nations of the world.

The responsibility for this state of things is being repudiated in the camps which precipitated this universal conflict. Emperor William in a speech yesterday in Berlin, wore the white rose of innocence in his lappel. He brazenly laid the blame upon the nations which had exhausted diplomacy in vain attempts to avoid war.

When it was known that Napoleon Bonaparte's eyes had been sealed in death in St. Helena, a suggestive picture appeared in a London illustrated paper. It represented the Corsican entering the Plutonian realms, where millions of the young and old of France and equally as many of the unborn of that nation were flitting before him, all adding their might to the pangs of conscience of the man who had, in order to feed his ambition, robbed the cradle and the grave.

The responsibility for the terrible state of affairs which now confront the world is, if anything, greater than that which rests upon the shoulders of the first Napoleon. William may attempt to play the part of Pontius Pilate by calling for water and washing his hands, but, like the stains upon the fingers of Lady Macbeth, the blood will not out.

We are told that our works—good or bad—follow us, and many thoughtful people believe the gnawings of a guilty conscience in another world are what are figureatively meant by the fire which is never quenched and where the worm dieth not. It may be so, and a German author many years ago, impressed with that thought, wrote a book entitled "Letters from Hades." He assumed that whatever are our passions in this world, they follow us into the next, and that it is impossible to get away from them. There their scope is enlarged a thousand fold. The writer represents Herod as still washing his hands, and Lady Macbeth walking in her sleep and mourning. The inebriate can see nothing but conviviality and hear nothing but the clinking of glasses and hilarity, while the sensualist is followed by the bold pictures and cogitations upon which he has fed in life. In a revised edition of this book the headstrong Kaiser may be made a prominent picture as he still points to the white rose which he has stained with the blood of his fellow creatures.

ATLANTIC CABLE CUT.

Washington, August 5.—The German Cable Comapny's cables to Germany have been cut. Announcement was made today that the company cannot reach Azores station, which is the first landing of the line.

Cutting of the cables leaves the United States without any direct means of communication with Germany. Messages can be routed via other nations, of course, subject to long delays, but the German cable company decided not to accept any business whatever.

The English cables are still working, although censorship is slowing up all messages several hours.

ENDS LIFE WHEN JOB GOES.

Girl Commits Suicide Because a Factory Shut Down.

Toms River, N. J., August 5.—Despondent because a factory at Riverside, where she was employed, shut down, Amedia, 16-year-old daughter of Holmes VanNote, of Bayville, came home Monday and took her life with chloroform. That the suicide was premediated is shown by the fact that she brought home with her the chloroform, bought from a Riverside druggist.

Saying that she had a toothache she went to bed. The chloroform was supposed by her parents to be a toothache medicine, but she emptied the bottle and was dead when found.

Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt, the bride of the second son of the ex-President, is ill in a New York hospital of typhoid fever. The attack is said to be a mild one. Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt is the daughter of Joseph E. Willard, Ambassador to Spain. Her wedding occurred in Madrid on June 10 last.

A food famine threatens in Glasgow and some of the stores had to close their doors at noon yesterday, so pressing were the buyers. Prices jumped immediately, sugar from 5 to 12 cents a pound, and many shops sold out.

Retail prices of provisions advanced 50 per cent in Liverpool yesterday. The stores were besieged and in some cases had to close, their stocks were running so low.

The Maryland State and District of Columbia Federation of Labor, in session in Baltimore, yesterday adopted resolutions against the principles of prohibition by a vote of 96 to 1. One of the delegates who joined in the discussion on the question, advocated the removal of all taxes on liquor. Resolutions declaring that it was the sentiment of the body that all "aliens" who should leave this country to fight in the present war in Europe should be prevented from returning were adopted.

RESOLUTIONS OF REGRET.

Whereas, God, in His Wisdom, has seen fit to take from us Otis Sunderlin, our classmate at the Alexandria High School, be it

Resolved, That the Alexandria High School has lost a student of the highest character, faithful in his duties, clean in his habits, courteous and considerate in his relations to others esteemed by students and faculty.

That we the class of 1915 feel, that we have lost a real friend, one whose memory is worthy to be kept.

That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy and pray that the God of comfort may minister to them in their distress.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mr. and Mrs. Sunderlin and a copy be kept by the secretary of this class.

Class of 1915, Alexandria High School.

ESTHER MANSFIELD,
President (pro tem).
JACK REARDON,
Secretary.

July, 1915.

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Sundays and Holidays.

A. M.—7 00, 7 35, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40 Noon—12 00.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect April 12, 1914.

For Washington and points north, daily at 8:08 A. M., 8.43, 8:53, 11:13, 12:01, 1:18, 2.30 through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:19, 8:18, 11:33 p. m., week days, at 6:07 p. m., Sundays only 8:07 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 7:47, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY

PREMIER [illegible] OF THE SOUTH

In Effect January 18, 1914.
N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local Between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches. Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:57 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

3:52 P. M.—Week day. Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, also for Warrenton. Pullman Buffet parlor cars for warrenton.

5:12 P. M.—Except Sunday—Local for warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's Southeastern Limited, for Asheville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullman Drawing room sleeping cars, coaches, dining cars.

11:02 A. M.—Daily—Atlanta Special. Solid Pullman train, sleeping cars to Asheville, Charlotte, Atlanta and Macon. Dining Car Service.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York, and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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In almost every neighborhood some one has died from an attack of cholera morbus before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. Every family should be prepared for such an emergency. Mrs. E. M. Snyder, Herkimer, N. Y., says: "About four years ago my husband had an attack of cholera morbus. I gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and it relieved the pain immediately, and two or three doses of it effected a cure." For sale by all dealers.

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E IN FREDERICKSBURG.

That Starts in Livery Stable Does $75,000 Damage.

dericksburg, Va., August 5.—in Hilldrup's livery stables yes.y spread to half dozen other dings. Mayor J. P. Rowe wired ayor Ainslie, of Richmond, for aid, which was promptly offered but in an hour it was seen that the fire could be controlled and Mayor Rowe countermanded the call in time to prevent engines starting from Richmond.

In addition to the livery stable, Boulware's garage, Burrel's building, Kay's barber shop, the store and warehouse of Simon Hirsh & Bros., J. McCalla Boulware & Sons' store and warehouse, the brick and slate roof building owned by Mrs. H. B. Lane a landmark, in which was the Biscoe Motor Company, were destroyed.

Hilldrup saved his horse but the block of buildings fronting on Commerce streets, were destoryed. No one was injured.

The loss is estimated at $75,000 with probably $35,000 insurance. The heaviest losers are Hirsh, Boulware, and Hilldrup.

Protect Fish And Oysters.

Old Point Comfort, Va., August 5.—Owing to repeated suggestions of Federal interference to protect fish and shell fish, the Fisheries Commissions of Virginia and Maryland decided it would be necessary to make more stringent the protective regulations in force for Chesapeake Bay and to that end were yesterday in joint session here, the "navies" of the respective States having formed a junction early yesterday morning at the main wharf here.

The morning session was devoted to a consideration of methods for better conserving crabs and oysters, and in the afternoon the attention of the gathering was devoted to giving fish a fighting chance for existence.

It is reported that General Francisco Villa virtually has proclaimed his independence from the Carranza government.

TO MEET DEMANDS.

May Impress Coastwise Ships Into Transatlantic Service.

New York, August 5.—Steamships flying the American flag and engaged in the coastwise trade for the most part are to be offered to the government for trans-Atlantic service. Offers of many vessels have been sent to Commissioner of Navigation Chamberlain at Washington.

The question of insurance, although the rates may be thought excessive, can be settled after the ships are found, it is said. The most suitable vessels for the trans-Atlantic trade are the Pacific liners now engaged in the trade with Asia. These might be brought through the Panama Canal.

Of vessels already in Atlantic waters the best for a trans-oceanic service would be twenty-three of the Southern Pacific Line, all fit for over-ocean sailing.

The vessels of the American Line fly the flag of the United States and can continue to cross the ocean in safety. In addition there are two Red Star steamships that are now of American registry—the Finland and the Kroonland. This makes six ships of the International Mercantile Marine which are immune.

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MONTAGUE BILL PASSES

Provides $450,000 to Enlarge Site of Postoffice in Richmond.

Richmond, August 5.—The House of Representatives passed the Montague bill appropriating the sum of $450,000 for the purchase of land adjoining the Federal Building in this city, in order that the postoffice may be enlarged to meet the growing postal business here. As the Senate has already passed a similar bill, although for a larger amount, is expected that all difficulties in the path of the appropriation will be smoothed over, and that the money will be available as soon as the government and the owners of the desired property come to terms.

Not a dissenting voice was raised when the bill came up under the "unanimous consent" calendar, although a warm fight was expected. Congressman Andrew Jackson Montague, patron of the measure, got it through quickly. The bill must now go up to the Senate, and may be amended there to conform with the one passed several weeks ago, or the amount may be adjusted in a conference between a committee from both branches of Congress.

BANKER ACCUSED.

Arrested on Charge of Embezzling Funds Amounting to $21,000.

Newark, N. J., August 5.—Charged with embezzlement of $21,000 of the funds of the Broad and Market National Bank, of this city, of which he was vice-president, David King was arrested at his home in Jersey City Monday night and lodged in the Hudson County Jail. Taken before United States Commissioner Semple for preliminary hearing, bail was fixed at $10,000.

Christian Fleissner, president of the bank, gave out a statement in which he said that the funds taken by King belonged to an order of Scottish clans, of which King was treasurer. The money was on deposit in the bank. According to President Fleissner, the bank lost nothing, as the entire amount was made good by friends of King.

BRAZIL IS DISTURBED.

Will Send Steamers to United States for Coal, Oil and Provisions.

Rio Janeiro, Brazil, August 5.—The Brazilian government is understood to be about to send four steamers of the Brazilian Lloyd Line to the United States to bring back coal, oil and provisions.

A decree has been issued declaring a bank holiday in Brazil until August 15 after a conference had been held by the cabinet ministers and the finance committee of the Brazilian Senate and Chamber under the presidency of Marshal Hermes da Fonseca, president of the Republic. It was decided also to ask Parliament to vote a moratorium.

The minister of finance suggested besides these measures the issue of a decree declaring unconvertible the bills of the conversion fund so as to prevent gold going out of the country.

These measures have been taken owing to the urgent necessity of assisting Brazilian commerce during the critical situation brought about by events of Europe.

MAIL UNDER AMERICAN FLAG.

Postmaster General Also May Use Neutral Ships at Times.

Washington, D. C., August 5.—Postmaster General Burleson yesterday completed temporary arrangements for handling mail for Europe under conditions imposed by the withdrawal of many liners from service on account of the war. At least one mail to Europe each week will be assured by vessels of the American Line in the event all the big German English and French ships are taken from service. Ships flying the Italian, Dutch, Norwegian or Swedish flags would be available at times to carry the Atlantic mails.

The international money order service between the United States and Belgium was suspended today at Belgium's request.

COAL LADEN, SLIPS AWAY.

Newport News, Va., August 5.—Carrying 4,000 tons of coal and a large supply of deck and engine supplies, said on good authority to be consigned to the German cruiser Dresden, now somewhere off the coast between the Virginia Capes and New York, the Norwegian steamer Thor, Captain Hunn, yesterday slipped quietly out of port. The steamer cleared through the Custom House here for Fray Bento, Uruguay, and left under sealed orders. In addition to the coal and other supplies, the Thor is carrying a large quantity of provisions.

MAN MANGLED BY TRAIN.

Lee Earp Killed Near Milton on Sunday Afternoon.

Danville, Va., August 5.—A horrible catastrophe occurred Sunday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock, when Lee Earp, a native of Halifax county, was run over by passenger train No. 1, on the A & D division, juts below Arey's Distilling Company, and instantly killed. His body was terribly mangled and he could barely be recognized, his head being torn open and body cut to pieces. The victim's brains were scattered along the track and his legs and abdomen cut all to pieces.

Man Instantly Killed.

Petersburg, August 5.—A white man supposed to be an Austrian, employed on the construction work of the Norfolk and Western Railway, was instantly killed at Waverly Saturday evening. He had incautiously stepped on the main track to get out of the way of something and was struck by the engine of an eastbound passenger train. His body was thrown for nearly fifty feet. Death of course, was instant. The name of the man could not be learned but it is said he leaves a widow and two children in Austria.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the directors of the Chesapeake and Columbia Investment Company, have ordered a special meeting in accordance with article 8 of the by-laws of the said company, the request being made by more than one-fifth of the capital stock, signed by the owners thereof. Said special meeting to be held at Fleischmann's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., August 5, 1914, at four o'clock p. m.

THOMAS W. SMITH, President.
July 2nd, 1914, td.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of the late James W. Roberts, we request that all claims against said estate be duly presented, with vouchers for same, legally authenticated, and that all persons indebted to same come forward and settle their accounts.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A meeting of the stockholders of E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, Inc., will be held at the office of said company on Monday, August 10th, 1914, at 4 p. m.

By order of the board of directors

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